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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF :

GERD JONAS, ET AL. :

EXAMINER: BEFUMO, J. L.

SERIAL NO: 10/656,179 :

FILED: SEPTEMBER 8, 2003 :

GROUP ART UNIT: 1771

FOR: ABSORBENT INSERTS, METHOD :  
OF PRODUCING THEM AND THEIR USE

**PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c)**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Applicants hereby request a suspension of action for a time period of three (3) months. The suspension of action is necessary because Applicants are in the process of preparing additional data, to address the Examiner's concern raised in the Advisory Action of September 14, 2005, regarding the data provided in the Rule 132 Declaration filed August 24, 2005. It may take about three month to finalize these experiments.

Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request suspension of action for a period of three (3) months.

Respectfully submitted,

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